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TAGS: MASS, TC, US
SUBJECT: COMMERCIAL PRESENTATION ON AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM FOR UAE

1. EMBASSY RECEIVED MAY 4 TELEX FROM DONALD W. CALLENDER, WESTINGHOUSE INTERNATIONAL DEFENSE AND PUBLIC SYSTEMS CORP., BALTIMORE, MD INDICATING HIS PLANS TO BE IN ABU DHABI MAY 24 AND DESIRE TO MEET WITH EMBOFF AND WITH COMMANDER OF UAE AIR FORCE TO DISCUSS UAE REQUIREMENT FOR AN AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM.
2. THIS IS FIRST WE HAVE HEARD OF WESTINGHOUSE INTENTIONS DISCUSS SUCH A SYSTEM FOR UAE AND ASSUME THAT WESTINGHOUSE WOULD REQUIRE FIRST OBTAIN ADVISORY OPINION FROM DEPARTMENT.
3. ACTION REQUESTED: IF WESTINGHOUSE HAS ALREADY RECEIVED DEPARTMENT PERMISSION TO APPROACH UAE AIR FORCE ABOUT AN AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM, PLEASE ADVISE AND PROVIDE OUTLINE OF WHAT SORT OF SYSTEM COMPANY PROPOSING. IF ADVISORY OPINION PENDING OR NOT YET REQUESTED, WOULD APPRECIATE APPROPRIATE DEPARTMENTAL OFFICER CONTACTING MR. CALLENDAR TO PASS MESSAGE THAT EMBASSY WOULD LIKE TO BE OF ASSISTANCE BUT MUST FIRST HAVE CONFIRMATION FROM DEPARTMENT THAT WESTINGHOUSE HAS USG PERMISSION TO DISCUSS AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM WITH UAE AUTHORITIES.
4. NOTE: CALLENDAR HAS ASKED IF EMBASSY COULD SET UP APPOINT-

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MENT FOR HIM WITH UAE AIR FORCE COMMANDER. IN LIGHT CURRENT POLICY PRECLUDING EMBASSY FROM ASSISTING US COMPANY IN CONDUCT OF ITS DISCUSSIONS EVEN FOR NON-LETHAL MILITARY ITEMS (E.G., STATE 113740 PRECLUDING SUCH HELP TO LOCKHEED FOR C-130 SALE), PLEASE INDICATE WHETHER EMBASSY ALLOWED TO ASSIST IN ARRANGING SUCH APPOINTMENTS FOR US BUSINESSMEN.
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